GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3465
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PROPOSALS OF BY PASSES FROM RAJASTHAN
GIRDHARI LAL BHARGAV

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the proposals of by passes sent by the Government of Rajasthan for approval ;

(b) whether it is necessary to build by passes for minimising the accidents and to improve the environment ;

(c) if so, the time by which the approval is likely to be given to the above proposals ;

(d) whether the Government provide any economic assistance for construction of by-passes; and

(e) if so, the total amount allocated to the State Government for the purpose till date ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS(INDEPENDENT CHARGE)(MAJOR GENERAL (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI, AVSM)

(a) No firm proposals for bypasses have been received from the Government of Rajasthan.

(b) Yes, if the conditions so warrant which are establilshed based on detailed studies.

(c) Does not arise.

(d) This Ministry is primarily responsible for development and maintenance of National Highways.Construction of bypasses on National Highways is preferably undertaken under BOT Scheme and through budgetary support in some cases.

(e) No specific allocation is made for by-passes. Funds for development of National Highways are allotted to the State as a whole. During the current year a sum of Rs. 120.61 Crores has been allocated for development of National Highways to the Government of Rajasthan.